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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : HIROSHI SAWADA et al.
International Application No. : PCT/JP2003/012308
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For : METHOD OF FORMING A PERIODIC STRUCTURE AND
SURFACE TREATMENT
Attorney Docket No. : JCLA16514

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner For Patents
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Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows: